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<b>UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL</b> (New Nonprovisional Applications Under 37 CFR § 1.53(b))	Attorney Docket No. <u>010025US</u>
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TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Transmitted herewith is the patent application of ( ) application identifier or (X) first named inventor, Terence M. Thomas, entitled METAL POLISHING SLURRY HAVING A STATIC ETCH INHIBITOR AND METHOD OF FORMULATION, for a(n):

- (X) Original Patent Application.
- ( ) Continuing Application (prior application not abandoned):
- ( ) Continuation ( ) Divisional ( ) Continuation-in-part (CIP)
  - of prior application No: \_\_\_\_\_ Filed on: \_\_\_\_\_.
  - ( ) A statement claiming priority under 35 USC § 120 has been added to the specification.

Enclosed are:

- (X) Specification; 12 Total Pages. ( ) Drawing(s); \_\_\_\_\_ Total Sheets.
- (X) Oath or Declaration:
  - (X) A Newly Executed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney:
    - (X) Signed. ( ) Unsigned. ( ) Partially Signed.
  - ( ) A Copy from a Prior Application for Continuation/Divisional (37 CFR § 1.63(d)).
    - ( ) Incorporation by Reference. The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated herein by reference.
    - ( ) Signed Statement Deleting Inventor(s) Named in the Prior Application. (37 CFR § 163(d)(2)).
  - ( ) Power of Attorney. (X) Return Receipt Postcard.
  - ( ) Associate Power of Attorney. ( ) A Check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for the Filing Fee.
  - ( ) Preliminary Amendment. ( ) Information Disclosure Statement and Form PTO-1449.
  - (X) A Duplicate Copy of this Form for Processing Fee Against Deposit Account.
  - ( ) A Certified Copy of Priority Documents (if foreign priority is claimed).
  - ( ) Applicant claims small entity status.
  - ( ) Other: \_\_\_\_\_.

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Independent Claims	3	0	\$84.00	\$ 0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (if applicable)				\$0.00
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